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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK\*  
(POUNDS)

	TRUCK	TRUCK & EXPRESS	TRUCK	TOTAL
FREIGHT	DEALERS AT	(DIRECT RECEIVERS)	LONG ISLAND DUCKS	RAIL & TRUCK
SEPT. 14, 1943	230,907	260,370	258,460	1,400
SO FAR THIS WEEK:	344,053	410,466	416,723	3,640
SAME DAY LAST Wk:	231,818	286,319	302,247	2,740
				751,137
				1,174,882
				824,124

\*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS, WEIGHTMASTER REPORTS

NEW YORK: FREIGHT RECEIPTS WERE LIGHT WITH 18 $\frac{1}{2}$  CARS (WHICH INCLUDED 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  FROM THE PREVIOUS DAY'S MARKET) REPORTED ON TRACK PLUS 1 DUE LATE IN COMPARISON WITH A TOTAL OF 31 CARS REPORTED LAST WEDNESDAY. MOST CLASSES OF FOWL CONTINUED TO MOVE READILY AT PREVAILING FIGURES. FANCY CHICKENS MET A GOOD DEMAND, HOWEVER SMALLER SIZES AND LOWER GRADES OF LEGHORN AND COLORED CHICKENS SOLD SLOWLY. MARKET HELD FIRM ON FOWL, STEADY ON FANCY AND IRREGULAR ON POOR TO ORDINARY CHICKENS. COLORED FOWL SOLD AT MOSTLY 33-34, ROCK CHICKENS 32-34, COLORED CHICKENS 32, WITH LEGHORNS AND POOR COLORED CHICKENS OFFERED AT LIBERAL CONCESSIONS IN AN EFFORT TO CLEAR. ROOSTERS DROUGHT AS HIGH AS 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ . RUCK RECEIPTS WERE LIBERAL WITH FAIRLY HEAVY CARRYOVERS OF FAIR TO ORDINARY QUALITY SPRINGS. TRADING ACTIVE FOR FOWL, YEARLINGS, FANCY HEAVY PULLETS WHICH DROUGHT A PREMIUM AND FANCY LARGE CHICKENS. LOWER GRADES OF SPRINGS WHICH COMPOSED THE GREATER PORTION OF THE FRESH SUPPLIES MET A SLOW DEMAND AND ARRIVALS FAR FROM CLEARED AT THE CLOSE. MARKET FIRM ON FOWL AND OTHER FANCY ITEMS, DULL AND WEAK ON LOWER GRADES OF SPRINGS. RABBITS HELD STEADY AT PREVAILING PRICES. THE FOLLOWING ARE WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES AS REPORTED BY THE TRADE ON THIS MORNING'S EXPRESS AND TRUCK MARKET. COLORED FOWL 33-34, YEARLINGS 35-36, MOSTLY 36; LEGHORN FOWL 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ -29; A FEW POOR 27; CARRIED 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; REDS 32-33, CARRIED LOW 27; LEGHORNS 30-32; POOR AND CARRIED LOW 25; SOUTHERN COLORED CARRIED 28, WITH SOME SALES POSSIBLY LOWER; FANCY CROSS PULLETS QUOTABLE AT 42; RED PULLETS AT 40; RABBITS 30 AND A FEW LOW 25; SQUADS AND PIGEONS 30-40 PER PAIR ACCORDING TO QUALITY. THE STATE OF ORIGIN AND NUMBER OF CARS ON TRACK ARE AS FOLLOWS: 3 ILL. 8 INC., AND 1 CARRIED, 3 IOWA, 2 KY, AND  $\frac{1}{2}$  CARRIED, 1 OHIO CARRIED, PLUS 1 UNKNOWN DUE LATE. THE 40 $\frac{1}{2}$  TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON INCLUDED: 15 $\frac{3}{4}$  DEL. CROSS, 1 CONN. CROSS, 3 MARYLAND CROSS,  $\frac{1}{2}$  N.Y. CROSS, 2 VIRGINIA CROSS, 1 MO. CROSS PULLETS AND A FEW WHITE ROCKS. 1 N.Y. CROSS PULLETS, A FEW WHITE ROCKS, 1 CONN. ROCKS,  $\frac{1}{2}$  N.H. ROCKS, 3/4 N.Y. ROCKS, 1 W. VA. ROCK AND CROSSES, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  DEL. RED,  $\frac{1}{2}$  VA. RED PULLETS, 1 N.Y. LEGHORN, 1 N.Y. MIXED WITH A FEW FOWL,  $\frac{1}{2}$  VT. MIXED, TOTAL 31 $\frac{1}{2}$  SPRINGS: 1 DEL. RED, 3/4 VA. RED,  $\frac{1}{2}$  N.H. RED, 1 N.J. LEGHORN, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  N.Y. LEGHORN, 3/4 N.Y. BLACK, 3/4 VT. MIXED, 1 CONN. RED, TOTAL 9 FOWL PLUS 1 TRUCKLOAD OF N.J. LEGHORN AND 1 N.H. RED PULLETS AND A FEW RED FOWL DUE.

PHILADELPHIA: LIVE POULTRY MARKET EASY TO WEAK EXCEPT ON FANCY QUALITY FOWL OF GOOD SIZES AND SPRINGS OVER 3 LBS. SOME JERSEY LEGHORN FOWL AND CONSIDERABLE QUANTITIES OF 3 LBS. AND UNDER SPRINGS FAILED TO ATTRACT BUYERS EXCEPT AT UNDER-CEILING PRICES. GRADE A REDS AND CROSSES AVERAGING 3 LBS. SOLD AT 30, B GRADE 28. SQUADS NOT WANTED EXCEPT BY REGULAR BUYERS WITH PRICES RANGEING 25-30 PER PAIR. THE ONLY GOOD DEMAND WAS FOR SPRINGS OVER 3 LBS. AND MEDIUM TO LARGE SIZE FOWL. RECEIPTS SEPT. 14, 173,880 LBS. CORRESPONDING DAY LAST WEEK: 184,446 LBS. (INCLUDES POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTERMARKETS DISTRIBUTION). REPORTED WHOLESALE PRICES ON GRADE A QUALITY: FOWL 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ -28, ROASTERS AND FRYERS 30-32, BROILERS 28-30, OLD ROOSTERS AND STAGS 23-24.

BALTIMORE: LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS MODERATE. MARKET STEADY. ROASTERS, BROILERS AND FRYERS; ROCKS AND CROSSES 30-32, LEGHORNS 2 LBS AND OVER 28, FEW HIGHER.

FOWL: COLORED 27-28 $\frac{1}{2}$ , LEGHORNS 25-27. DUCKS: YOUNG PEKINGS AND MUSCOVIES 5 LBS AND UP 27-28.

BOSTON: SUPPLIES OF ALL SIZES AND CLASSES OF LIVE POULTRY WERE AGAIN FULL AMPLE TO IN EXCESS OF REQUIREMENTS. DEALERS GENERALLY FREE SELLERS AND PRESSING SALES INTO ALL CHANNELS. NO CHANGE IN FOB PRICES WAS NOTED THIS MORNING AND DEALERS WERE MORE GENERALLY OPERATING UNDER THE NEW AMENDMENT RECENTLY ISSUED BY OPA. (CORRECTION ON YESTERDAY'S REPORT. TRANSPORTATION ALLOWANCES: NO ALLOWANCE FOR TRANSPORTATION WITHIN A RADIUS OF 5 MILES, 5-50 MILES 1/2 CENT) RECEIPTS YESTERDAY 76,911 LBS.

WASHINGTON: LIVE POULTRY FIRM. RECEIPTS MODERATE AND ABOUT NORMAL. BROILERS AND FRYERS 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ , FOWL 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ , ROOSTERS 18-20.

CHICAGO: LIVE POULTRY UNLOADS AT CHICAGO OF 49 TRUCKS CARRYING 2221 COOPS AND 2 CARS BY FREIGHT REPORTED. ON TUESDAY THE COMPLETED COUNT WAS 238,866 POUNDS COMPARED WITH 238,887 LBS. LAST WEEK AND 288,540 LAST YEAR. MEDIUM AND LIGHT WEIGHT YOUNG STOCK MADE UP THE DULK OF ARRIVALS. COUNTRY DRESSERS ADSORING MUCH OF THE HEAVIER YOUNG CHICKENS AND FOWL. LOCAL DRESSERS NOT PARTICULARLY AGGRESIVE BUT WITH A GENERAL GOOD CLEARANCE OF ALL CLASSES THE RECENT MARKET BASIS FAIRLY WELL MAINTAINED. PRICES PAID FOB BY RECEIVERS FOR GRADE A BASED AS FOLLOWS: FOWL 24-26, BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS 26-27 $\frac{1}{2}$ , LEGHORN HENS 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ -25, LEGHORN BROILERS AND FRYERS 23-24 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

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